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SUBJECT: WTDR/FTI INDUSTRIAS QUIMICAS DE NICARAGUA S.A.

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- 1. NICARAGUA 2. COUNTRY CODE: 219 3. SERIAL NO.: NA
- 4. INDUSTRIAS QUIMICAS DE NICARAGUA S.A.
- 4A. CODE: 4B. CODE:A 4C. CODE: X
- 5. APARTADO POSTAL 385; KM 32 CARRETERA VIEJA A LEON
- 6. MANAGUA, NICARAGUA
- 7. ESTABLISHED: 1969 8. EMPLOYEES: 75
- 9. SIZE: (19-X) LARGE 10. REPUTATION: (22-X) GOOD
- 11. SALES AREA: NICARAGUA
- 12. REPORT DATE: 03/77
- 13A. 28695/0 MANUFACTURER OF ETHYL ALCOHOL, INCLUDING NATURAL, DE-

NATURED AND INDUSTRIAL ALCOHOLS;

- $13B.\ 35513/T\ IMPORTER\ OF\ DISTILLERY\ EQUIPMENT\ AND\ PARTS;$
- $13\mathrm{C}.\,28695/5$ IMPORTER OF INDUSTRIAL ORGANIC CHEMICALS, INCLUDING LABORATORY REAGENTS.

18. FINANCIAL REFERENCES: BANCO DE AMERICA, APARTADO POSTAL 285,

- 14. CONTACT: MR. DENIS J. GORDILLO TITLE: GENERAL MANAGER
- 15. CABLE: INDUQUINISA 16. TELEX: NA
- 17. PHONE: 89544
- MANAGUA.

19. TRADE REFERENCES: NA

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20. FOREIGN FIRMS REPRESENTED: NA

21. INDUQUINISA IS A LARGE CHEMICAL PLANT IN THE VICINITY OF MANAGUA PRODUCING NATURAL AND DENATURED ETHYL ALCOHOL, INCLUDING INDUSTRIAL ALCOHOLS FOR THE COSMETIC AND PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRIES. THE PLANT, WHICH REPRESENTS AN INITIAL INVESTMENT OF US\$2.1 MILLION, WAS INAUGURATED IN NOVEMBER 1972. IT PRODUCES APPROXIMATELY 2.5 MILLION LITERS OF ALCOHOL (100 PERCENT GUY LUSSAC) PER YEAR WHICH IT DIS-

TRIBUTES DIRECTLY AND THROUGH 160 AGENCIES THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY. THE FIRM IS CURRENTLY EXPANDING ITS PRODUCTION AND MARKETING FACIL-ITIES AND HAS ORDERED A COMPLETE LINE OF BOTTLING, SEALING AND PACK-ING MACHINERY FROM THE LINK POWER & MACHINERY CORPORATION, OF WHITE PLAINS, NEW YORK. THE ABOVE EQUIPMENT, VALUED AT US\$412,000, SHOULD BE IN OPERATION BY JULY 1977. INDUQUINISA REPORTS PRESENT WORKING CAPITAL OF US\$405,360, NET WORTH OF US\$1,617,983, AN ANNUAL VOLUME OF BUSINESS OF US\$3,341.027. THE FIRM'S MANAGER DID NOT WISH TO REVEAL THE NAMES OF ITS PRINCIPAL SHAREHOLDERS. EMBASSY UNDERSTANDS. HOWEVER, THE PRINCIPAL STOCKHOLDING GROUP IN THE CORPORATION IS THE ASOCIACION NACIONAL DE DESTILADORES (ANDES), NICARAGUA'S NATIONAL DISTILLERS ASSOCIATION, PRESIDED BY GENERAL ANASTASIO SOMOZA DEBAYLE, PRESIDENT OF NICARAGUA AND CHIEF OF THE ARMED FORCES. THE FIRM'S BANK REFERENCE CONSIDERS THE FIRM TO BE FINANCIALLY REPUTABLE AND RESPONSIBLE FOR NORMAL COMMITMENTS. FIRM IS RECOMMENDED AS TRADE CON-TACT FOR INTERESTED U.S. CONCERNS. NO OTHER INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE. 22. PREPARED BY:RJMONTES APPROVED BY:JPFRERES AT: U.S. EMBASSY, MANAGUA THEBERGE

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